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Now comes Dr. Werner Pompetzki, who deposes and says that:

FOR: PROCESS FOR THE HYDROGENATION OF ACETONE

Page 4, line 4 of paragraph 6 of the Declaration 37 C.F.R. §1.132 filed June 21, 2001, erroneously states that the water content of acetone to be hydrogenated should be ≥ 1% by weight. This error is hereby corrected to indicate that said water content is no more than 1% by weight.

The undersigned petitioner declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent issuing thereon.

Further, deponent saith not.



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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

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Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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